

## The Homer Fitts Co.

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"The Store Where Quality Counts"

### New Fall Dresses of Serge, Jersey and Tricotine

The best part of it all is that the dresses are all fresh and new and each dress has some fashion feature to make it unusual and attractive. Russian blouse and straight-line models effectively trimmed with braid, buttons and embroidery.

\$19.50 to \$35.00



### That New Coat You Are Planning For

Perhaps you have been dreaming of a Coat—the nicest Coat you ever had—with certain features of color and fabric and style.

#### Our Advance Sale of Coats

provides just the opportunity you have been wishing for. A splendid assortment of Fall and Winter Coats is here—we're almost sure your Coat is among them. We've some exceptional values from

\$19.50 to \$49.50

### Our Easy Payment Plan

enables you to pay a small deposit on your Coat, and we will reserve it for you any time up to November 1. You are thus protected against higher prices and get first selection.

#### Can You Trust Your Widow

to wisely invest the money you leave for her benefit? Our monthly income plan pays a fixed income for life of beneficiary and guarantees a certain number of payments in any event. National Life Ins. Co. of Vt. (Mutual), S. S. Ballard, general agent, Rialto block, Montpelier, Vt.

#### Master in His Own House.

"Take this rubber plant into the garden." "Miss said I was to put it on the balcony, sir." "Do as I tell you. You will put it in the garden first. Afterwards you can put it on the balcony."—Boston Transcript.

## People's Shoe Store Shoe Talks

To educate your children as to the value of good clothes is as important as their being instructed in the three R's. Purchase for them a pair of our sturdy School Shoes, and you will also teach them the value of getting their money's worth.

Make the wearing of good shoes part of your children's education!



## TopCoats

The nights and mornings will be cool from now on. You should supply yourself with one of our nice Top Coats.

Good style and very comfortable. The prices are moderate.

The Frank McWhorter Co.

## BARRE DAILY TIMES

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 1919.

### The Weather

Showers probably to-night and Tuesday; slightly warmer to-night; gentle north winds, becoming south Tuesday.

### TALK OF THE TOWN

George P. Drowne of Morrisville was a business visitor in Barre to-day.

A full line of autumn and winter millinery at Miss M. M. Minnie's, 102 Summer street.

Miss Mildred Clark of the Adams company store spent the week end with friends in Northfield.

Louis Sassi of Barre left last night for Johnstown, Pa., where he has employment cutting stone.

For Sale—Cottage style Glenwood range, as attachment. At J. R. Tierney's, 48 South Main street.

Miss Dorothy Brown, who is employed in Waterbury, spent the week end with friends and relatives in Barre.

Miss Bessie Pitkin of Providence, R. I., is visiting at the home of her mother, Mrs. Leona Pitkin of Jefferson street.

A seven-pound son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cline of Spring street last night at the Barre City hospital.

Armedee Giguere of Harrington avenue was taken to the Barre City hospital yesterday to be treated for pneumonia.

Mrs. Fred Green, Mrs. W. P. Day and Fred Knapp of Northfield are spending a few days with friends and relatives in Barre.

The Knights of Pythias will hold a corn roast at Chauncey Bixby's farm on Beckley hill Monday night, weather permitting.

Miss Rose Phillips of 95 Currier street has gone to spend two weeks with friends and relatives in Boston and Quincy, Mass.

Mrs. C. E. Jackson of Boston, who was visiting in Chelsea, was brought Saturday night to the Barre City hospital for treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy George, who were married Sept. 3, and who have been honeymooning in Massachusetts, returned home Friday night.

Mrs. Daisy Luce of Franklin street, Montpelier, who was brought to the Barre City hospital last Friday, was operated upon to-day.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Vigneault of Montreal, who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Grier of Laurel street, returned home yesterday.

J. M. Veronesi, who has been living in the spring house, on the East Barre road, has purchased the McMillan place on Cable street and has moved his family there.

A meeting of the amusement committee of the Degree of Pocahontas will be held at the home of Mrs. Jaffrey, 89 Currier street, Monday night, Sept. 15, at 7 o'clock.

Miss Mary Boyce, who has been visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Boyce, for the past two weeks, has returned to her employment in New York City.

The members of the Eastern Star and families will meet at the Blanchard block at 7 o'clock Tuesday for a corn roast at Shepard grove. Cars will be provided. Don't miss it.

Mike Tony, Hilder Habbab and Naheen Hilder of Prospect street left to-day for Berlin, N. H., where they will visit at the home of Mr. Habbab's daughter, Mrs. Morris Lehanon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Boyce, who have been visiting at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Boyce of Barre, for the past two weeks, are returning to-day to their home in Woonsocket, R. I.

Mrs. A. Birnie cordially invites the ladies of Barre and vicinity to attend her millinery opening Monday and Tuesday, Sept. 15 and 16, at 4 Laurel street. She will show a large display of trimmed hats—adv.

The United Garment Workers will hold their quarterly meeting Tuesday, Sept. 16, at 7 o'clock in carpenter's hall. Bring books for inspection. Good attendance desired. Miss Gertrude McCarty, president.

Students are flocking to Barre to-day from a wide area for the purpose of entering Goddard seminary at the opening of the 31st year to-morrow. Probably the student who will make the longest journey to the seat of learning in Barre is Miss Mary Elizabeth Jacques, who comes from Lincoln, Neb., for the purpose of taking a course in the teacher training department.

Lamont Brace of Buffalo, N. Y., a wholesale provision dealer of that city, has arrived in the city with his daughter preparatory to having the latter enter Goddard seminary for a course of study. Mr. Brace is connected with the Universalist church in Buffalo over which Rev. Clinton Scott, a Goddard graduate of eight years ago, is pastor, and the decision to place Miss Brace in Goddard was reached because of Mr. Scott's loyalty to his alma mater.

The Overland four-passenger car owned by Battista Fumagalli collided with a stone wall in Middlesex yesterday afternoon and suffered some damage to one side of the car. The front mudguard was ruined, the running board torn from the body and the rear mudguard ripped from its fastenings. At the time of the accident four young people were riding in the car with Joseph Cassani at the wheel. The accident happened as he turned a corner and suddenly met another car approaching. In order to avoid the collision he crashed the car against the wall, but as he was driving slowly none of the occupants suffered any injury.

Elbridge Green, a famous Harvard variety football player of some years back, who gained his rudimentary knowledge of the game at Goddard seminary and polished it off at Phillips Exeter academy and Harvard, is to send his 13-year-old son to Goddard seminary this year, and the young man is expected to arrive in Barre to-night from Arlington, Mass., ready for entrance to-morrow. Followers of athletics in this vicinity will recall the "stonewall center" of the Goddard teams of 1895-96-97, for "Fatty" Green, as he was called in those days, was a tower of defense for the Goddard line. He also played a star game on the Exeter team and while attending Harvard participated in many a hard fought contest with credit.

A special meeting of the Barre city council was held Saturday afternoon for the purpose of discussing the situation of the highways on Blackwell and Smith streets due to the trenches through which run the spur tracks from the Central Vermont railroad. The railroad disclaims responsibility for keeping the crossings in condition, and the city threatens to fill up the trenches and thus shut off the use of the spurs. The city clerk was instructed to inform the railroad and the users of the spur tracks that they will be expected to put the crossings in condition by Monday, Sept. 22, so that the public can safely use the highways. The railroad recently has been building spur tracks to the granite plants at the expense of the users, and it claims not to own many of these sidings.

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Miss Abbie Alvord of the Homer Fitts Co. store has resumed her duties there, after having spent a three weeks' vacation.

Miss Gunhild Johnson, having been the guest of friends in this city for two weeks, returned to her home in Quincy, Mass., to-day.

F. O. Fay of Highland avenue motored to Burlington yesterday and there left his daughter, Miss Ruth, who will attend St. Mary's academy.

Mrs. Arthur Shannon of Park street, who has been visiting at the home of her parents in Fredericksburg, Va., returned home Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bullock of Highland avenue visited over the week end with Mr. Bullock's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hermon Bullock, of East Calais.

Mrs. Grace E. Haskins of the Morse block has returned from a three weeks' vacation spent with relatives in Asbury Park, N. J., and New York City.

A regular meeting of the Ladies of Clan Gordon will be held Tuesday, Sept. 16, at 7:15 p. m. Initiation, assessment No. 37 now due. Christina Leith, rec. sec.

Report has come from St. Johnsbury of the stealing of an Overland automobile in that town this forenoon. The car bore the Massachusetts number of 121,235.

Miss Lesell Hunter of Hartford, Conn., who has been visiting with her mother, Mrs. Mary Hunter of Prospect street, for the past three weeks, returned to-day to Hartford.

The Woman's association of the Congregational church will hold its regular business meeting and social Wednesday at 2:30 p. m. Come prepared to give a story of your vacation.

Fritz Jackson, arrested for driving an automobile while intoxicated, pleaded guilty before Judge E. L. Scott this morning and was released after paying a fine of \$5, with costs of \$6.05.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Howard of Burlington arrived to-day and will visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Lander of Washington street, and to-morrow the four will leave to attend the carnival and fair at Springfield, Mass.

Mrs. S. J. Graves and son, George, friends of Miss Margaret Duffy, who now resides at Dr. P. S. Duffy's farm on Trow hill, together with the doctor's two children, have been spending a week here and left for their homes this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Denning left this week for their home in Canton, O., after spending a week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Denning of Park street. The elder Mr. Denning, who has been quite sick, is now improving and able to sit up a few hours each day.

The Starr farm in Northfield, owned by Mrs. Minnie Whitcomb of Plainfield, was sold through the V. A. Perry Real Estate agency to-day to Mr. and Mrs. C. Martin and wife of Roxbury, who make the purchase with intentions of residing on the farm. The sale included the 100 acres of land and buildings only.

While driving on the main road between Marshfield and Plainfield, Fred Wheeler of Marshfield was run into by another car bearing the number 18295, registered in the name of Ernest Carlson of Barre, and said to have been run by him. Mr. Wheeler was just below Marshfield village and is said to have been driving at a moderate rate of speed, had turned out for three cars which had passed in succession, and noticing one of the cars to be that of his father, George Wheeler, of Marshfield, turned to the right a little and attempted to stop, but was struck by the Carlson car and was driven several feet by the impact. The bumper on the Carlson car struck one of the rear wheels of the Wheeler car, cutting through the tire and tube down to the rim of the wheel. The rear of the Wheeler car was also badly damaged. The Carlson car escaped with only a badly bent bumper.

Gov. Clement to James Hartness.

Governor P. W. Clement sent the following letter to James Hartness in appreciation to his gift of an aviation field to the village of Springfield.

"Please accept my heartfelt greetings on the occasion of the first commercial flight from one Vermont landing field to Vermont's first municipal landing field, at Springfield.

"It is an exceptional pleasure that this message is to be borne by my townsman, Lieut. John J. Lynch, to the president of the Vermont Aero club and the state's foremost advocate of aviation. This is a pioneer event, and I wish the greatest success to Vermont's progress in aviation.

"Perceval W. Clement, Governor."

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

WANTED—Girl to wash glass and silver; Hotel Barre. 15413

WANTED—Job doing chores on a farm or light work in the city; call 147 North Seminary street, Barre, Tel. 72-11. 15414

TO RENT—Good tenement of 4 rooms with electric lights, gas and hardwood floor; call at 46 Maple avenue; Abram Fine, phone 7122. 15415

TO RENT—A 6-room cottage at 32 Brook street; light and furnace and bath; inquire at 103 Washington street, or Tel. 133-2, Mrs. Elizabeth Bugbee. 15317

YOUNG MAN, 22, married, high school graduate, 3 years' office and clerical experience, desires position; only permanent one considered; best of references; reply by letter to "R." care Times. 15417

ETOO LATES

LOST—Sunday, between South Barre and Barre, a dust cover for automobile top; finder please return to Times office or to G. H. Adams, South Barre. 15413

WANTED—Middle-aged woman or girl for housework in small apartment; apply at once to Mrs. A. W. Rustie, 48 South Main street. 15412

WANTED—Two or three young lady clerks for department store; good wages and good position; address "B. A." Times office. 15412

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### MONTPELIER

Will of Lawson C. Cummings Has Been Found and Filed.

The will of Lawson C. Cummings, who died two weeks ago as the result of an automobile accident, which took place in Morse's woods in East Montpelier, has been found and filed with the judge of probate. The will provides for a few gifts to friends of Mr. Cummings, after which the remainder of his estate goes to his heirs, who are cousins. It was supposed at first that only three first cousins existed, but now some new ones from Massachusetts claim to be heirs to a part of the property.

T. R. Merrill, city clerk, was in Randolph to-day to play with a musical organization during the celebration.

Isaac Lett has brought suit against Alfred Cormier for \$300 to recover rent which it is alleged Cormier owed Yett.

H. W. Davis has also brought suit in city court against Merrill Russell for repairs on an automobile.

Two companies have asked permission of the secretary of state to increase their capital stock. These are the Maple Sugar company of Essex Junction, which wants to increase its stock from \$20,000 to \$100,000, while the second is the Manning Manufacturing company of Rutland, which desires to increase its capital stock from \$25,000 to \$200,000.

Adjutant General H. T. Johnson has appointed the officers of Co. A at Rutland and they are commissioned, the army having approved the appointments. These are: Captain Guy C. Cowan, who was in France, to be captain; Second Lieutenant Leonard F. Wing, who organized the company, promoted to first lieutenant; and Sergeant William J. Kelley, who was supply officer of the old regiment, who was promoted to second lieutenant.

W. S. Teachout has invented a new number plate to be used by the state as a temporary plate, which will do away with the great amount of violations of the automobile laws, relative to temporary number plates. These are of cardboard and will stand five days' use, after which they are to be destroyed. There is a stub and which the seller of the machine sends to the secretary of state's office. The new card will prevent the use of the temporary plate for other purposes, such as joy riding and drawing of damaged automobiles. It is possible that the new plate will be patented.

The secretary of state has received a report from the superintendent of the state prison relative to the remarks made by one, Dan Dayley, a few days since, to the driver of the state truck while it was being driven from Sherburne to Windsor. It occurred in Rutland when Fred Gardner, who was driving the truck, was accused of hogging the road. The heavy truck made considerable noise and after Dayley passed the machine he used abusive language relative to the truck driver remaining in the road.

Deputy U. S. Marshal G. F. Lackey went to Lunenburg Saturday to get Hector Bellevance of that town, who is wanted by the federal government on the charge of shipping adulterated milk. The complaint is an old one, the crime being alleged to have taken place June 30, 1906, in New Hampshire; but Mr. Lackey found when he reached Lunenburg that the man had not been living in that town for two years and had gone to Canada.

Miss Rebecca Wright commenced work this morning in the office of the Vermont Historical society, taking the place of Mrs. Brainerd Adams, who left the work a week ago. Miss Wright was several years secretary of the Vermont free public library commission but gave up that work over a year ago because of her health. She was in library work for a time last year in an army library in Pittsburgh, Pa. She has been in Maine and upon her return home last week accepted the appointment as assistant librarian in the society and is actually in charge of the work of the organization.

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